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NEWBERRY, SOUTH CAROLINA, TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 1912.

TWICE A WEEK, \$1.50 A YEAR.

Fifty-Sixth Annual Commencement Closing Newberry's Best Session

SPLENDID ADDRESSES BY EARNEST SPEAKERS

BACCALAUREATE SERMON BY DR. PATTERSON SUNDAY MORNING.

Y. M. C. A. Address Sunday Evening
by Rev. H. A. McCullough—
Large Audiences.

The fine inspiration and enthusiasm which have come from the successes of the year; the splendid addresses of the earnest speakers, and the unusually large crowd in attendance, combined to make the fifty-sixth commencement Sunday a great day for Newberry college.

Weather conditions were ideal. The sky was cloudless, and there were delightfully cool breezes, making comfortable the crowded opera house, where the commencement exercises are being held.

The exercises began on Sunday morning with the baccalaureate sermon by the Rev. Robert L. Patterson,



REV. H. A. McCULLOUGH,
(Who Delivered Y. M. C. A. Address
on Sunday Evening).

mon by the Rev. Robert L. Patterson, D. D., pastor of St. Mark's Lutheran church, Charlotte, and on Sunday evening the Y. M. C. A. address was delivered by the Rev. H. A. McCullough, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, Columbia.

The able addresses of these distinguished speakers were helpful in their practical value, and the thoughts which they presented were in excellent harmony.

Newberry college sends forth this week a class of twenty young men and two young women. In loyalty to the finest and truest that is in college life, it is one of the best classes Newberry college has given to the activities of the world.

All the churches of the city were closed on Sunday morning, and at 11 o'clock, when the exercises began, the opera house was crowded to its full capacity. The pastors of the various city churches took part in the services. Splendid music was rendered by the Orpheus club.

The graduating class, in their collegiate gowns and caps, occupied front seats in the audience.

The opening service was conducted by President J. Henry Harms.

The scripture lesson was read by the Rev. Edw. Fulenwider, pastor of the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, of this city, and an earnest prayer was offered by the Rev. J. E. Carlisle, pastor of Central Methodist church.

"The Ministry of Gifts" was the theme of Dr. Patterson's baccalaureate, addressed to the class of 1912. The earnest thought and the irresistible logic of the speaker were couched in beautiful and appealing language, and the address, in its thought and presentation, was superb. It appears in full in The Herald and News today.

President Harms led the audience in the Lord's Prayer.

During the taking of the offering, the beautiful offertory, "God So Loved the World," by Stainer, was effectively and appealingly rendered by the choir.

After the announcements by President Harms, the doxology was sung by the choir, and the audience was

FINCK IS AWARDED DECLAIMER'S MEDAL

CREDITABLE DECLAMATION CONTEST BY SOPHOMORES.

Honorable Mention to Karl M. Counts,
of Newberry County—Winner
From Augusta.

The Sophomore declaimers' contest, for the gold medal offered by the Excelsior and Phrenakosmian literary societies of Newberry college to that Sophomore who shall present the best declamation at commencement, was held in Holland hall on Monday morning, beginning at 10 o'clock. There was a great deal of interest in this contest, and there was a large audience present. All the declaimers acquitted themselves with a great deal of credit.

The program was carried out, as follows:

Invocation.

Music.

"The Fiddle Told"—Karl M. Counts, of Little Mountain.

"The Wrestler of Philippi"—Richard C. Floyd, of Newberry.

"Gentlemen, the King!"—Theodore K. Finck, of Augusta, Ga.

Music.

"Recognize the Unions"—Daniel F. Barber, of Elmore.

"The Passing of the White Swan"—Joseph L. Keitt, Jr., of Newberry.

"One of Bob's Tramps"—Carl D. Weimar, of Waldo, Fla.

Music.

"The Black Killer"—D. Ellis Efrid, of Lexington.

"Engineer Connor's Son"—Robert K. Wise, of Prosperity.

Music.

Decision of judges and presentation of medal.

Benediction.

Music.

The medal was awarded to Theodore K. Finck, of Augusta, with honorable mention of Karl M. Counts, of Little Mountain.

The judges were: Dr. M. G. G. Scherer, of Charleston; Dr. R. L. Patterson, of Charlotte, and Prof. G. F. McAllister, of Mt. Pleasant, N. C.

The presentation was happily made by Dr. Scherer.

dismissed with the benediction by the Rev. J. W. Carson.

The Y. M. C. A. Address.

The services in the opera house on Sunday evening were under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association of the college, and the address was by the Rev. H. A. McCullough, class of '93, of Columbia. "Life With a Margin" was the subject of his notable address, which was delivered with fine force and effect, and which held the close attention of his large audience.

The Orpheus club rendered music.

The opening services were led by Dr. Jas. D. Kinard, president of the South Carolina synod. The scripture lesson for the evening was read by the Rev. J. B. Harmon, pastor of Mayer Memorial Lutheran church.

Prayer was offered by Dr. Robert L. Patterson.

Following is a brief synopsis of the sermon by Rev. Mr. McCullough, which presents his line of thought:

"Life With a Margin."

There are things, said the speaker, where the rule of right and wrong is so plainly marked out that there is no question as to the Christian's duty. There are some boundary lines, as between the States of Ohio and Kentucky, plain and easily seen. Others, as between South Carolina and North Carolina, while they are established and can be located by surveyors, yet any man may cross from one State to the other without knowing or intending it. Truth and error are clearly divided; so temperance and abstinence. But who can locate the line between temperance and intemperance, education and ignorance, sonity and insanity?

The Savior drew many sharp moral

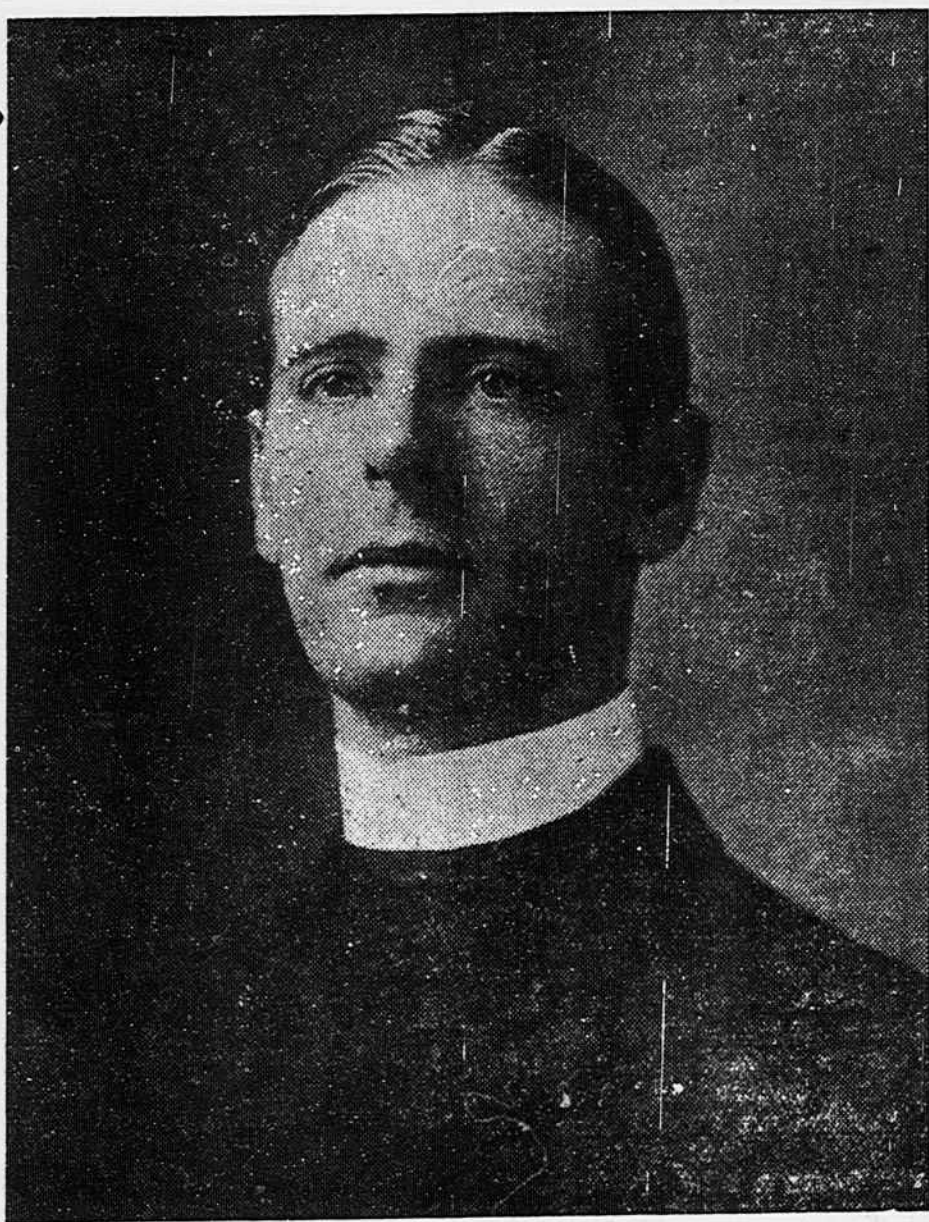
GREAT COMMENCEMENT ACCLAIMS VICTORIES

NOTABLE SUCCESSES OF YEAR ARE
BEING CELEBRATED.

Program for Remainder of the Week,
Including Monster Parade Tuesday
Evening.

Sunday ushered in the fifty-sixth annual commencement of Newberry college, bringing to a close a year of successes, which have made the session, and which are making this commencement, the biggest the institution has ever had.

Having won every inter-collegiate



PRESIDENT J. HENRY HARMS,
(Whose Recent Achievement in Adding \$75,000 to the College Endowment
Brought Great Joy to All Friends of Christian Education).

contest in the State during the year, the announcement of President J. Henry Harms on June 1 that he had succeeded in raising the fifty thousand dollars necessary to secure the twenty-five thousand dollars offered by Mr. Carnegie, came as a fine climax. All these victories and successes are being celebrated during this commencement, and will be joyously acclaimed in a monster parade on Tuesday evening, following the literary address by the Hon. Mendel L. Smith, of Camden. Headed by the Newberry Concert band, the alumni, students and friends of the college will be in line, and when the line of march is disbanded in the public square, there will be addresses in which the victories will be recounted.

The Graduates.

The graduating class this year numbers twenty-two, as follows:

For the degree of A. B.—William Ernest Bickley, Helena; Ernest Elmer Henry Cappelmann, Charleston; Henry Arthur Counts, Sligas; George Henry Faggart, Denton, N. C.; Robert Hamilton Folk, Pomaria; Arthur Lovelace Gunter, Wagener; Era Maelue Kibler, Newberry; Allen Napoleon Kieffer, Springfield, Ga.; William Elijah Lake, Newberry; William Otho Peritt, Mullins; Henry Smith Petrea, Concord, N. C.; Derring Lee Ridenhour, Concord, N. C.; John Bachman Smeltzer, Columbia; Holland Luther Sligh, Newberry; Tilla West, Newberry; Carl Otto Wolff, Concord, N. C.; Lawson McFall Wise, Prosperity.

For the degree of B. S.—E. O. F. Doscher, Charleston; James Benedict Ehrhardt, Ehrhardt; George William Hill, Newberry; Edmund Herbert Jahnz, Charleston.

Select Course—Hugh T. Boozer, Robert Hamilton Folk takes first honor; John Bachman Smeltzer second honor, and James Benedict Ehrhardt,

highest distinction in school of technology.

Senior Class Officers.

The Senior class officers are:
President—Arthur L. Gunter.

Vice President—Robert H. Folk.

Secretary and Treasurer—Ernest Doscher.

Poet—L. M. Wise.

Prophet—A. N. Kieffer.

Historian—Miss Tilla West.

Big Crowd Here.

The commencement visitors have been arriving for several days. A large crowd is already here, and a bigger crowd than at any preceding commencement is expected to be in attendance during the week. Enthusiasm in running high, and the college has never had brighter prospects for even greater things in the future.

Program for Remainder of Week.

A report of Sunday's exercises, and of the Sophomore declaimer's contest Monday morning are given elsewhere. On Monday afternoon the standing



DR. ROBERT L. PATTERSON,
(Who Preached Baccalaureate Sermon on Sunday Morning, Full Text of
Which Appears on Page 3.)

Robert Hamilton Folk—Valedictory.
Reception to Graduates.

A reception was tendered the graduating class by President and Mrs. J. Henry Harms, at their home on the college campus, on Friday evening. They were assisted in receiving the Seniors by the young ladies of the junior class. The occasion was most delightful.

NEWS OF PROSPERITY.

Personal Mention of Many People—
Marriage of Miss Clara Gibson and
Mr. John Grant.

Prosperity, June 10.—Prof. W. E. Monts, of Springfield, Ga., is home for the summer.

Misses Annie Lee Langford, Eunice Long, and Eunice Shealy, of Winthrop college, reached home Wednesday.

Miss Novice Brown has returned to Newberry, after a visit to Miss Kate Thompson.

Mr. J. G. Beacham, of Spartanburg, is visiting his sister, Mrs. S. L. Fellers. Miss Lizzie Hawkins spent Friday at Silverstreet.

Miss Rebe Langford has returned to Spartanburg, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Langford.

Mr. C. R. Wise, of Newberry, was a business visitor here Friday.

Misses Rosalie and Helen Wheeler are spending this week in Newberry, the guests of Mr. J. W. Kibler.

Miss Mary DeWalt Hunter left Saturday for Clemson college, to spend a month with relatives.

Mrs. Nannie Wheeler is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Rikard, of Newberry.

Mr. A. H. Kohn has returned to Columbia, after making a short visit here to his many friends.

Miss Bessie Bowers is attending Newberry commencement this week.

Mr. A. H. Hawkins was a business visitor in Columbia Friday.

Miss Annie Wheeler is visiting Miss Lulie Rikard, of Newberry.

The many friends of Miss Clara Gibson will be surprised to hear of her marriage to Mr. John Grant, of Jackson, N. C. The wedding taking place June 6, at Andrews, S. C., where Miss Gibson has been teaching for the past session.

Miss Mary Langford has as her guest Miss Christine Cestory, of Summerville.

Miss Dora Miller, of Little Mountain has been visiting Mrs. Enos Counts.

Mrs. Geo. W. Harmon has as her guest Miss Myrtle Hendershot, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Schumpert, of Atlanta, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. Robert Wise, who is attending Newberry college, has been made captain of the varsity team for 1913.

An auto party was registered at the

Wise hotel for the past week en route to Chattanooga.

Mr. W. J. Wise is attending Newberry commencement.

TO TEST SAM HYDE'S SANITY.

Please Names Commission—Composed
of Drs. Babcock, Wilson and
Houseal.

Columbia, June 7.—Dr. J. W. Babcock, superintendent of the State Hospital for the Insane; Dr. Robert Wilson, Jr., of Charleston, chairman of the State board of health, and Dr. W. Gustave Houseal, of Newberry, constitute a commission to inquire into the sanity of Samuel N. Hyde, the Anderson county wife slayer, under sentence of electrocution on July 5, according to announcement from the governor's office today. This commission will examine into the alleged insanity of Hyde and make their recommendation to the governor.

ELECTION IN CHAPIN.

Chapin, June 8.—Tuesday the following town officers were elected for the year commencing June 15: G. W. Lindler, intendant; R. W. Frick, W. E. Koon, W. E. Fulmer and H. H. Williams, wardens.

Woman's Temperance Union.

Resolution adopted by Newberry County Woman's Christian Temperance Union:

We, the women of the Newberry County Woman's Christian Temperance Union, in convention assembled, desire to thank the good men of Newberry county for what they have done for prohibition. We appeal to the men of Newberry county to do all within their power to see that prohibition is enforced in our county. We beg that you will elect men who will enforce the law—men who will see that the blind tigers are driven out of the county. You have the power; we look to you.

Officers and superintendents of county union are as follows:

Mrs. J. W. White, president; Mrs. S. C. Morris, vice president; Mrs. M. C. Morris, secretary; Mrs. E. E. Williamson, treasurer.

Flower Mission—Mrs. W. I. Herbert. Scientific Temperance Instruction—Miss Susan Langford.

Medical Temperance—Mrs. I. P. Cannon.

Anti-Narcotics—Miss Dollie Mae Senn.

Press—Mrs. M. C. Morris.

Medal Contest—Mrs. C. B. Martin.

Co-operation with Missionary Societies—Miss May Dominick.

Mothers' Meetings—Mrs. E. E. Williamson.

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